



Notice of Intent

KRC 2223-4

Kern Regional Center (KRC) issues Request for Proposals (RFP) when there is a need to develop specific homes, programs, or specialized services for clients. Current RFPs can be viewed here (<https://kernrc.org/service-providers/service-provider-resources/rfpcrdp-cpp/>).

The Department of Developmental Services (DDS) awarded KRC \$150,000 in start-up funds as part of the Community Placement Plan (CPP) and Community Resource Development Plan (CRDP) for Fiscal Year 2022-2023 to develop a Children's Residential Facility Level 4I in Ridgecrest. KRC released an RFP (Project number- KRC 2223-4) on April 11, 2023 to develop a Children's Residential Facility Level 4I for Children 18 years and younger to serve KRC individuals in Kern, Inyo, and Mono counties.

This notice is to inform the public, KRC intends to contract with Gardner's Gifts Residential Facility to serve Children with developmental disabilities whose identified level of care needs meet level 4I ARM criteria. Gardner's Gifts Residential Facility was awarded the RFP and was provided a Selection Notification Letter on June 9, 2023.

If you have any questions, please contact Rome Quiton, CSS, at KRC 3200 N. Sillect Ave., Bakersfield, CA 93308, (661) 852-3339 regarding this notice.